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Honorable Harold Baer, Jr.
United States District Judge
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
New York, NY 10007

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 HAROLD BAER
 U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE
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RE: **PT JAWA TIRTAMARIN V.**
PT PERTALAHAN
 Docket No.: 07 CV 6837
 Our File No.: 29582-JAS/CMP

Dear Judge Baer:

We are attorneys for Plaintiff with respect to the captioned matter. We write to request that the initial Pre-Trial Conference scheduled for this Thursday, October 4, 2007 at 2:00 p.m., be adjourned.

This is a matter commenced by Plaintiff seeking to attach funds and property of the Defendant located in the Southern District pursuant to Supplemental Admiralty & Maritime Rule B and in aid of enforcing a foreign arbitral award.

To date, \$85,000 of Defendant's assets have been attached, whereas the complaint prays for \$905,103.73. Defendant has been notified and is fully aware of the attachment and this lawsuit. A legal officer of the Defendant has been in contact with our office and we have twice suggested that it obtain legal counsel, but to our knowledge Defendant has not done so.

As Defendant has not yet appeared to contest the attachment or answer the complaint we believe that a Pre-Trial Conference at this time would be premature. We therefore respectfully request that the Pre-Trial Conference be adjourned until the Defendant appears in this action or until such other time as the court deems proper.

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SO ORDERED:

Harold Baer, Jr.
Harold Baer, Jr., U.S.D.J.

Date: 10/3/07

Endorsement:

You apparently have a different agenda than I do - mine includes moving cases off my docket where appropriate to do so in this instance it would seem that a default is what should happen and if you want an adjournment of the time to answer that generally comes from the defendant not the plaintiff. Let's talk tomorrow - adjournment denied.